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# HOUSE BILL No. 1364

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## DIGEST OF INTRODUCED BILL

**Citations Affected:** IC 25-14-1-23.5.

**Synopsis:** Practice of dentistry. Exempts a manufacturer of dentures from being considered to be practicing dentistry if the manufacturer: (1) provides space and equipment where dental services are provided and the dentures are manufactured; (2) has been in business at the same location for at least five years; (3) employs a dentist who is hired to provide dental services; (4) has at least five years experience in manufacturing dentures and managing a dental office; (5) does not direct, control, or interfere with the dentist's clinical judgment; (6) makes decisions relating to the employment of dental office personnel; and (7) makes decisions relating to advertising.

**Effective:** July 1, 2001.

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January 11, 2001, read first time and referred to Committee on Public Health.

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First Regular Session 112th General Assembly (2001)

PRINTING CODE. Amendments: Whenever an existing statute (or a section of the Indiana Constitution) is being amended, the text of the existing provision will appear in this style type, additions will appear in **this style type**, and deletions will appear in ~~this style type~~.

Additions: Whenever a new statutory provision is being enacted (or a new constitutional provision adopted), the text of the new provision will appear in **this style type**. Also, the word **NEW** will appear in that style type in the introductory clause of each SECTION that adds a new provision to the Indiana Code or the Indiana Constitution.

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A BILL FOR AN ACT to amend the Indiana Code concerning professions and occupations.

*Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:*

SECTION 1. IC 25-14-1-23.5 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE JULY 1, 2001]: **Sec. 23.5. Notwithstanding section 23 of this chapter, a person is not practicing dentistry within the meaning of this chapter if the person is a manufacturer of dentures who:**

- (1) provides space and equipment where dental services are provided and the dentures are manufactured;**
- (2) has been in business at the same location for at least five (5) years;**
- (3) employs a dentist who is hired to provide dental services;**
- (4) has at least five (5) years experience in manufacturing dentures and managing a dental office;**
- (5) does not direct, control, or interfere with the clinical judgment of the dentist described in subdivision (3);**
- (6) makes decisions relating to the employment of dental office personnel; and**



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